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LAC LA BICHE LOCAL NEWS

LAC LA BICHE. — Miss Mary Watson spent a few days home last week.

Dr. Cadzow left for Edmonton Thursday for a month, where he will obtain a refresher course.

The Lac la Biche Dodgers played at Wandering River Sunday, May 1. Lac la Biche won with a score of 10-9. A good start, boys! We are reminded that Wandering River will be here Sunday, May 8, to play baseball.

Mr. Art Griswold left for Waterways, Saturday.

A good crowd attended the dance put on by the Sea Cadets Mother's Club. Miss Lucile Tatum and Fred Longvin won the door prize for being the first couple there. Mrs. Steve Hamar held the lucky ticket for the grocery box.

Mr. Lou Shewchuk left for Edmonton Friday for medical treatment. He was accompanied there by Mrs. Shewchuk.

Jack Clark, employee of the N.A.R., is in Lac la Biche on his holidays.

Father McGrain had the 'Exeter' out for the first time this spring.

Mrs. Dumas' sister, Mrs. St. Jean of Edmonton, is staying here for a month or two.

Kae Stelfox has returned from holidays to commence work at the weather office, May 4.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Ireson of Manchester, Eng., arrived April 18 to spend several weeks with their niece, Mrs. C. E. Chisholm after spending nearly five months in Los Angeles, Calif., with Mr. and Mrs. Durbin, uncle and aunt of Mrs. Ireson. Mr. and Mrs. Durbin are the parents of the film star, Deanna.

Mrs. Staveley of Waterways is visiting at the home of Mrs. C. E. Chisholm.

MISSION NEWS

LAC LA BICHE.—Miss Theresa Tardif returned home after spending the winter in Saskatchewan with her sister Jeanette.

Alfred Tardif, who has lived in this district for many years, left for Edmonton last Tuesday. He will move his family to Edmonton in the near future. We wish them the best of luck.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Shawb and Therese were here last Sunday visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cloutier.

Claire and her husband, J. Shawb were here last Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Buchnol.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Plamondon were here last Sunday.

Albert Carrier left for Edmonton to work for his Uncle Fred for a few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Cloutier went to Edmonton on a business trip last week.

Fred Routhier has returned from the hospital in Edmonton. He is still under medical treatment.

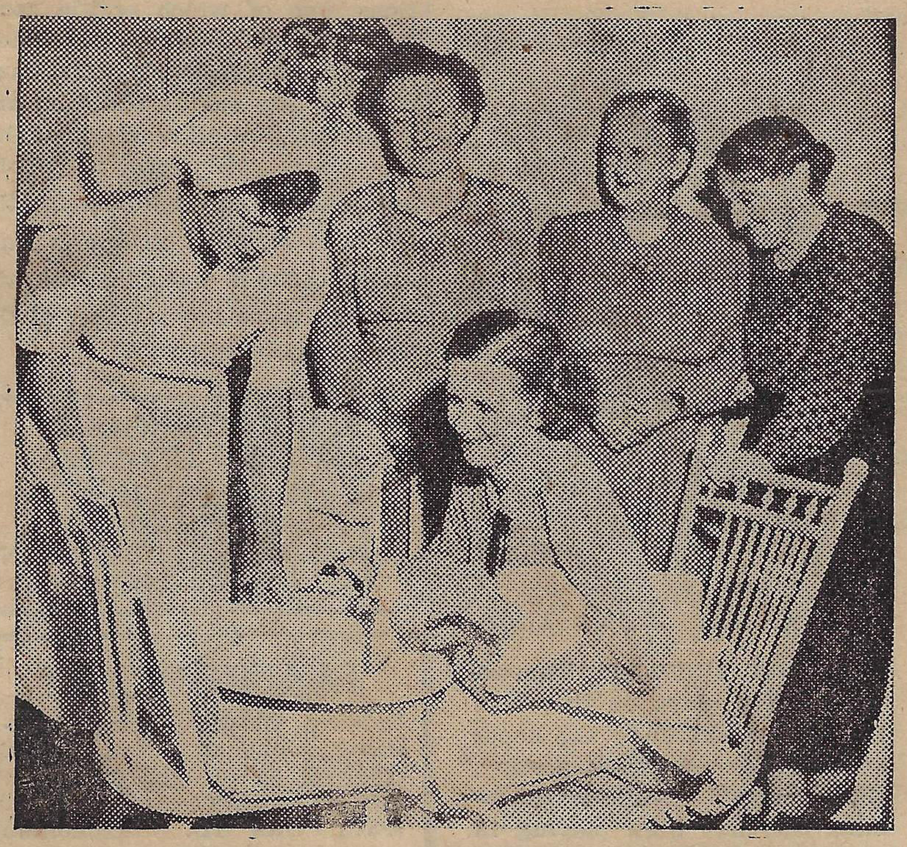
Mrs. A. Bouvier and her sister Francoise were here for a few days visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nareisse Ladouceur.

Elmer Plamondon was here Saturday on business.

Louis Tardif went to Plamondon on Sunday to visit friends there.

Mrs. A. Fortier is in Lac la Biche hospital for medical treatment.

Miss Lucia Shawb came to work for her aunt, Mrs. Leo Cloutier. Lucia was a former student at the convent here.



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SPRUCE VALLEY NEWS

SPRUCE VALLEY. — Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kotyk of Richmond Park and Mr. and Mrs. John Berezowski of Paxon were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Skawronik on May 1.

Mr. Pete Koltowski is the proud owner of a new Model "I" Gibson tractor.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Obertowich of Breton were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Obertowich's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ryl.

A dance will be held at Spruce Valley hall on May 7 sponsored by Mr. Zilinski, the teacher, and her pupils.

Diamonds are flashing on Ann Shwedo's finger. That means there will be dacing soon. Congratulations, Ann!

W.I. BOWLING

LAC LA BICHE

	W	L	T
Shaw	9	5	18
Kilar	8	6	16
Pinkham	7	7	14
Phillips	7	7	14
Proctor	6	8	12
Richard	5	9	10

OIL WELL NEWS

PLAMONDON.—I am sure that you are all watching for more news on the oil well. We have not very much for you this week with the exception that they are drilling. This is all that can be given out so far.

Mr. Emeslie was kind enough to give us a little information on their machinery and the precautions that are being taken in event that they should strike natural gas, and was kind enough to introduce me to Mr. E. J. Jinkins who is a specialist from Texas, and they both assured me that in case they should hit gas they were prepared for it, and as soon as there is any interesting news of the well they will let me knew at once, so that in turn I, as your local reporter, can give it to you through your local paper.

So watch the news, and I must say that the public in general has all eyes on the oil well. So we all wish the drillers luck.

Athabaska P.C.'s To Nominate

Nominating convention of the Athabaska Progressive Conservative Constituency Association to name a candidate for the federal election June 27 will be held in the I.O.O.F. Hall, 10169 103rd St., Edmonton, on Friday, May 6, at 4 p.m.

This will be the ninth Progerssive Conservative convention in Alberta federal ridings. Candidates for the party already named are A. L. Smith, K.C., Calgary West; Douglas S. Harkness, G.M., M.P., Calgary East; J. A. Jardine, Lethbridge; Stanley Wyatt, Macleod; Spence Hughes, Medicine Hat; W. J. Wilde, Bow River; Harry Taggart, Red Deer and Alfred Haarstad, Wetaskiwin.

Four men in the Athabaska riding have been mentioned as probable nominees at the forthcoming convention. They are J. H. Bedard, former mayor of St. Paul, William Rorke of Clyde, and Robert Shopland and A. Boileau of Edmonton.

BLUE JAY LOCAL NEWS

BLUE JAY.—Mr. Joe Blonsky has returned from Edmonton where he was attending the University of Alberta. He has completed his first year.

Mr. L. Genou, our veterinary, has taken ill and we hear that he has been taken to the Lac la Biche hospital.

Mr. Mike Klemnik and family made a trip to Newbrook on Sunday via car.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ilnicki went to Wandering River last Sunday in M. J. Ilnicki's truck.

EGG LAKE LOCAL NEWS

EGG LAKE. — Mrs. Hermon Olson's parents are here on a visit. They have now been here for two weeks and expect to stay a while yet.

We have the pleasure of having back with us Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Pare and family who moved here on George Langevin's farm.

Mrs. A. L. L'Heureux has finally returned home from the hospital.

Miss Alice Girard has gone to work in Edmonton.

Wedding

KINNERNEN-PARKER

LAC LA BICHE. — A quiet wedding ceremony was performed in the Anglican Church at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, April 23 by the Rev. Mr. Sheward of Collinton.

The bride, Elizabeth Parker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Parker, was given in marraige by her father to Seffo Kinnernen, a veteran of the last war. The bride was attended by Iris Parker and best man was Preston Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Kinnernen will reside at Goose Lake, where Mr. Kinnernen has land.

Weather

LAC LA BICHE. — The following is the daily maximum and minimum temperatures for the week ending May 2, 1949, at 05:30 p.m.

	Max.	Min.
April 26	65	31
" 27	73	37
" 28	74	33
" 29	59	43
" 30	56	34
May 1	57	34
" 2	57	35

Cards of Thanks

LAC LA BICHE

The Liberal organization of Lac la Biche wishes to extend to the relatives of the late Adolph Cadieu their heart-felt sympathy in their late bereavement. His loss will be felt by the family, also the organization where he was a great worker in the cause of Liberalism throughout his life.

W. R. JET—Secretary,
Liberal Organization.

CAIRNS NEWS

CAIRNS. — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clarke, Larry and Linda spent several days here en route from Altario to Sedgewick.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Mohr of Monitor were visitors to Cairns last week.

Mr. Williams with the assistance of Bob McInnes repaired the pump, and now there is water at Cairns for the first time in 26 years. Mr. Williams is planning on irrigating his garden.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Schenk of Moon Lake were visitors in the district recently.

St. Catherine's Hospital News

LAC LA BICHE

BIRTHS:

To Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Johnson of Noral, a son on April 28.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nykolawchuk of Lac la Biche, a son on April 29.

To Mr. and Mrs. Leo Perner of Plamondon, a daughter on April 30.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lord of Lac la Biche, a son on May 1.

To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rudiger of Lac la Biche, a son on May 2.

IN FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT:

Mrs. Charles Parent of Amesbury, Mrs. Joseph Langevin of Lac la Biche, Beatrice Currat of Lac la Biche, Leo Genoud of Blue Jay, Lyle Penley from the General Petroleum receiving treatment for a fractured ankle.

Gagnon and Alcide Gauthier of Plamondon both had an appendix operation and are doing fine.

NORAL LOCAL NEWS

NORAL. — Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Grove left for Edmonton where Mr. Grove went to work on the extra gang on the Grand Prairie railroad and Mrs. Grove returned to Noral.

George and Walter Boyko also are going with Mr. Grove to work.

Mr. Peter Dubronyj is working on the railroad at Noral.

Miss Lucille Person, a supervisor of Noral school, is back at her old job supervising the children.

South Noral got themselves a new school teacher as the supervisor left for another school.

Mr. Alex Holosh is repairing his tractor.

Harry Hansen left Noral to go to work on his old job on the E. Anderson Construction Co.

Mr. M. Gurski was riding for his mail and the wheel of the conveyance broke. The poor fellow had to walk the rest of the way to Noral.

Mr. George Waselenchuk bought himself a Fordson tractor.

Miss Alice Setter is a visitor to Mr. and Mrs. E. Anderson. She is a niece to Mrs. E. Anderson

Mr. and Mrs. Halitsky are very proud and happy. Their baby son was born last week.

Most of the farmers are through with their spring work but some still have a little more to do.

George Kmazky drove his Hudson car for the first time this summer.

Come on, Noral boys and girls, put on your best suit and come to the dance at Twin Spruce on May 6.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Piven are visiting parents at Hylo after Mr. O. Pevin was out on his trap line a whole month.

Mr. Solver Weinzierl is back from his trapline also, and is now doing spring work. Just returned in time for seeding grain.

George Waselenchuk's horses wandered all the way to Noral. I guess they like it better here!

VENICE LOCAL NEWS

VENICE. — So the surrounding districts were warned about Hylo's tough bunch of ball players. The ball players were not so tough, the score being Hylo 16, Venice 13. But it was noticed with much regret at Sunday's ball game that people too often forget how to be sports in sports.

Mr. O. J. Biollo of Edmonton is enjoying visits with his family.

Miss Rose Deschatelets and Yvonne Ostiguy of Dionne, coming back from a short trip to Edmonton, stopped at the home of Mr. Jean Piquette. It was learned Miss Deschatelets was engaged to Mr. Albert Carrier. Congratulations!

Mrs. Elie Sabourin and Mrs. Parent of Vimy spent the weekend at the home of Mr. Adeoda Gingras.

Remember this date—May 29—"The Bells of St. Mary" will be shown here. You'll be sorry if you miss it.

Miss Elizabeth Bossie has gone to replace her sister Yvonne at the Lac la Biche hospital.

Do you know there are sixty-four tunnels on Canadian National Railways lines? The longest, which is three miles long, is under Mount Royal and part of the city of Montreal.

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Federal Election Outlook

(From the Ottawa Citizen)

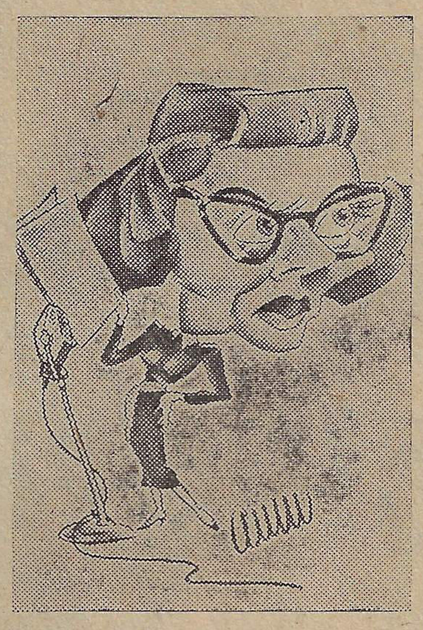
Many shrewd political observers will agree with the prediction Prime Minister St. Laurent made in Edmonton, that if the Liberals do not get a clear Commons majority in the forthcomnig election there will be somewhat of a stalemate in Parliament. At least the opinion is becoming general that the Progressive Conservatives have little chance of electing enough members to assume command of the Lower House.

Mr. George Drew's early parliamentary forays as Opposition leader were spectacular. They greatly improved the morale of his party followers throughout Canada; and this, it must be agreed, is a big step toward success at the polls. But as far as the Canadian electorate is concerned, they appear to have made no lasting impression. As an experienced and objective radio commentator recently observed, most people have forgotten the issues over which Mr. Drew raised such temporary tempests.

There are signs that the Conservatives' hopes of making substantial inroads in Quebec are waning. Mr. Drew seems to be shifting sail in the hope of recovering some of the ground he may have lost in the rest of Canada by his first intensive drive for Quebec support—which now promises no great hope of success. He has succeeded, intentionally or otherwise, in driving the Liberal and CCF forces closer together by his enunciation of out-worn Tory policies that hold little place in Canadian thinking these days.

On the other hand Mr. St. Laurent appears to be making personal and political gains. Debonnaire, courteous and able, he is fast developing some of the more robust traits of a political gladiator—a necessity in the rough and tumble of Canadian public life. If the Liberals fail to gain clear ascendancy in the Commons, the possibility of a Liberal-Conservative coalition is slight. In such an event the chances are much greater than some Liberal-CCF alignment, official or otherwise, will assure this country progressive government.

GOSSIP! GOSSIP! GOSSIP!



DOROTHY FOWLER, Vancouver actress, plays on the radio the type of character she hopes not to be in real life—a gossipy, sharp-tongued, middle-aged woman. She has been playing in radio for a long time, and is often heard in the Vancouver Theatre program and Leicester Square to Broadway.

Train Starts Fire

BEISEKER. — A C.P.R. train set fire on the Matt Schmaltz farm on Sunday which was fanned by a high west wind. Luckily Carl E. Schmaltz saw the fire start and gave the alarm by telephone and a few neighbors responded with a tractor and plow, some with shovels and battered the flames out in two hours.

Before the fire could be brought under control about 50 acres of heavy rye stubble was burnt. No other damage was done.

Lions Promote Auto Contest

BEISEKER. — The Beiseker Lions Club is launching a campaign to clear up all debts on the new Memorial hall. To this end they have decided to accept $1.00 donations, one of which entitle some lucky person to purchase a new 1949 Ford for $1.00. An active campaign is now being carried on and it is hoped that all residents of this community will give it wholehearted support. The draw for the car is to be made on Sports Day, August 3, 1949 and donations will be accepted by any member of the Lions Club.

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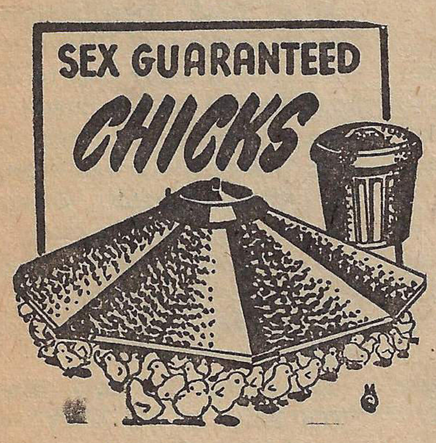
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Vermilion Man Heads Battle River Assn.

Battle River constituency Liberals are out to secure political victory when the federal general election is held. At an organization meeting held in connection with a nominating convention to select a candidate, steps were completed in the reorganization of the Battle River Liberal association. Dr. A. B. King of Vermilion was named president. Hon. Jas. Gardiner was present and addressed the Liberals.

Other officers are: honorary president Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent; first vice-president Allan Johnstone, Hardisty; second vice-president James D. Adam, Vermilion, third vice-president, William Chorney, Myrnam, and secretary-treasurer, P. M. Armishaw, Wainwright.

Regional vice-presidents elected were: Cliff Bethune, Provost; Clarke Christie, Chauvin; Russell Whitson, Mannville; Dr. G. L. Cooke, Lloydminster; Homer Campbell, Clandonald; Oscar Younge, Mannville; Cyril Drever, Hardisty; John Kelly, Wainwright; Art Hunter, Innisfree; James Miller, Kitscoty; J. Kelso, Myrnam; Jack Culford, Marwayne.

N. Stachan, Wainwright; Axel Anderson, Minburn; Mrs. R. Culford, Lloydminster; Matt Charcun, Derwent; R. H. Norton, Vermilion; Mrs. Conroy, Wainwright; Mrs. J. D. Adam, Vermilion; Mrs. Matt Charcun, Derwant; Caleb Fleming, Provost; Jas. Robinson, Wainwright; W. J. Hinton, Paradise Valley; D. Falkins, Chauvin; J. Meiklejohn, Marwayne.

Following the meeting an informal reception was held in the banquet room of the hall in honor of Hon. James G. Gardiner, federal minister of agriculture.

Mr. Gardiner had been welcomed to Vermilion at a noonday luncheon held by the Board of Trade.

ARMY STEPS IN TO HELP BRITAIN'S YOUTH CLUBS

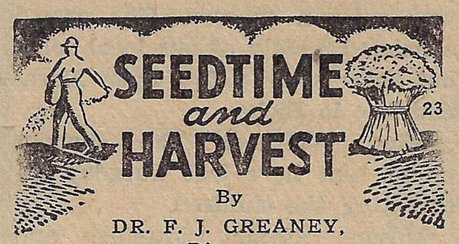
Many teen-agers in Britain, sleeping under canvas this summer will owe their vacation to — the Army!

Backed by the Education Ministry, the Army is helping youth organizations to prepare an under-canvas vacation this year. From military centres in Aldershot, Catterick and elsewhere, the Army is hiring anything from a marquee to a mess tin to youth clubs. The National Association of Girls and Mixed Clubs and the Y.M.C.A. are extending hostel schemes. In many cities courses in camp craft are being run for youth leaders and more teen-agers are being encouraged to spend vacations abroad.

There will also be sports' training vacations in the open air by the Thames at Bisham Abbey and in the beautiful Scottish Highlands.

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By
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P.C. Nomination Convention

Nominating convention of the Jasper-Edson Progressive Conservative Constituency Association will be held in the I.O.O.F. Hall, 10169 103rd St., Edmonton, on Friday, May 6, at 8 p.m.

This will be the tenth Progressive Conservative convention in Alberta federal ridings. Nine candidates are already in the field and the tenth will be named at the Athabaska constituency convention in Edmonton four hours before the Jasper-Edson meeting.

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KIKINO NEWS

KIKINO. — Mr. Lawrence Lavallee from Brasseau, Alta., was up to see his brother for a few days last week.

The Cromarty boys from Smoky Lake, Alta., were down for Easter holidays.

It sounds good to hear the tractor working in the fields of Kikino.

Mrs. T. M. Johnston had an operation for her tonsils during the Easter holidays. She cannot go back teaching until May 2.

HYLO LOCAL NEWS

HYLO. — The Farmers' Union Dance held at Hylo last Monday was quite a success. The crowd consisted mostly of our local folks but there were a few from Noral and Lac la Biche.

Miss Williams, the district nurse, was here last Tuesday inoculating the children.

Messrs. Stanley Grandish and Bruno Meardi were in Edmonton last week.

Mr. Eli Rosychuk and wife also were in Edmonton.

Messrs. James Bjorgan and William Kuwica were busy last week putting up a fence around the school grounds.

Com. E. Snyder, V-P Com. Al Cross, Sec. Canadian Legion

CROSSFIELD. — At a recent meeting of the Crossfield Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., held in the Masonic hall, Comrade E. Snyder was elected as vice-president and Comrade Al Cross, the new accountant in the Bank of Commerce, was appointed secretary-treasurer. The meeting agreed to send a delegate to the convention of the Provincial Command to be held shortly at Banff. Any member being able to spare the time to attend should contact President T. Bland at once.

The next meeting of the Legion is to take the form of a family gathering and get-together to give the newer members and their families a chance to get acquainted. This is to be held in the Crossfield school and the committee in charge are trying to arrange a picture show with films especially interesting to veterans. It is expected that this meeting will be held on June 2 and all veterans in the district are asked to watch for further particulars.

A social hour followed the meeting and those in attendance voted the experiment as being well worth while.

Bride-to-Be Honored

CROSSFIELD. — Feting Miss Marie Hatten, bride-elect of May 8, Mrs. H. May and Miss Eileen May were co-hostesses at a bridal shower in their home on Thursday evening last. Pink and white streamers decorated the "bride's" table which was centred with a bouquet of spring flowers.

Durin gthe evening games were played, after which the guest-of-honor was presented with a decorated basket of miscellaneous gifts from the 20 guests. Mrs. John Hergert, aunt of the bride-to-be, assisted the hostesses in serving the lunch.

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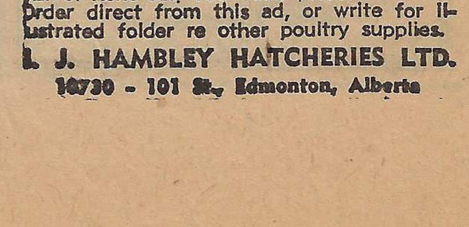
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The following officers were elected for the coming season: president, Frank Wasnea; vice-president, Terry Cole; secretary-treasurer, A. W. Roddick; grounds committee, T. Cockburn, Nick Josephison, Ted Koehli.

Fees were set at $6.00 for men, $3.00 for ladies, $5.00 for students and $5.00 for out-of-town members. Ground rules were set up and will be posted on the course in due time.

A President vs. Vice-President tournament is being planned for May 15. The course will be in excellent shape and a big turnout is anticipated. Out-of-town members are cordially invited to come and join us. Members in charge of green are reminded to keep their greens in good shape.

This is a game for young and old alike and we would like to see the townspeople of Daysland turn out and keep the course really warmed up.

Ralph Schade Dies After Accident

Apparently brushed from the car he was riding by an old junk boiler sitting next to the tracks, Ralph E. Schade, 40-year-old Northwestern Pacific railroad brakeman ,received head and arm injuries from the wheels of the train which resulted in his death at the St. Joseph's hospital at 4:20 this morning.

According to Coroner Lloyd Wallace, the tragedy occurred at 3:45 this morning as the train was switching cars on the waterfront track into the Arrow Mill plant.

Schade, who lived at 1223 Sixth stret, Eureka, is survived by his wife, Elsie Martha, and is a native of Alberta, Canada.

The body is at the Pierce Mortuary pending funeral arrangements by next of kin.

Funeral services for the late Mr. Ralph Edward Schade were held April 19 at the Pierce Mortuary Chapel, Eureka, Calif., at 3:30 p.m. The remains were laid to rest at Ocean View cemetery.

Mr. Ralph Schade was well known in Daysland, the place of his birth on September 30, 1908. He attended public and high school here and was employed at the Imperial Bank.

He leaves to mourn his loss his loving wife, Elsie Martha, his father, Mr. J. H. Schade at Redlake, Ont., two brothers, George and Arthur and two sisters, Caroline and Ellen.

The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved family.

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Killam Girl Graduates

KILLAM.—Before a large audience of proud parents and friends on Wednesday evening in First Presbyterian Church, Edmonton, 60 student nurses of the school of nursing, Royal Alerandra hospital, were presented with their pins and diplomas. It was the 42nd class, one of the largest in the school's history, to graduate from the school.

One of the 60 to graduate was none ohter than Elizabeth, better known as "Betty" Sherwood of Killam. Congratulations and best wishes are extended to her by her many friends in Killam. Among the proud parents were Betty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sherwood Sr., and Doris.

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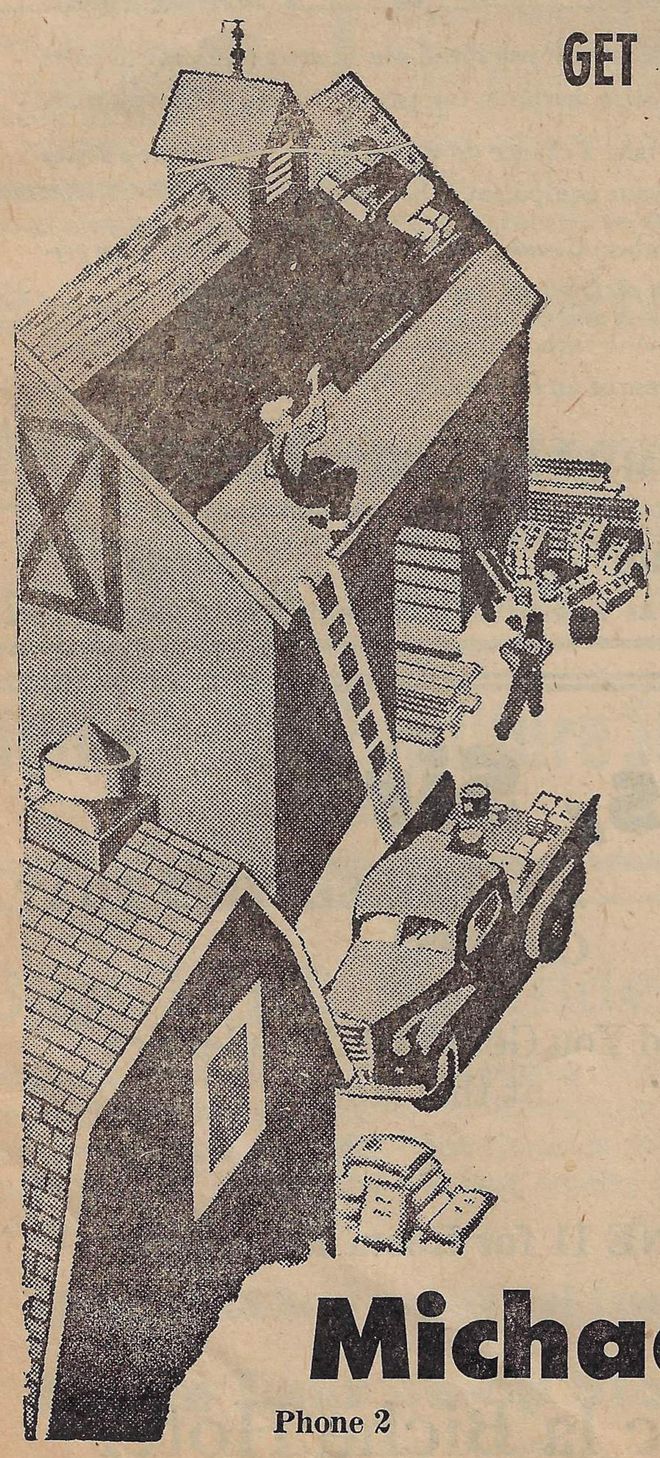
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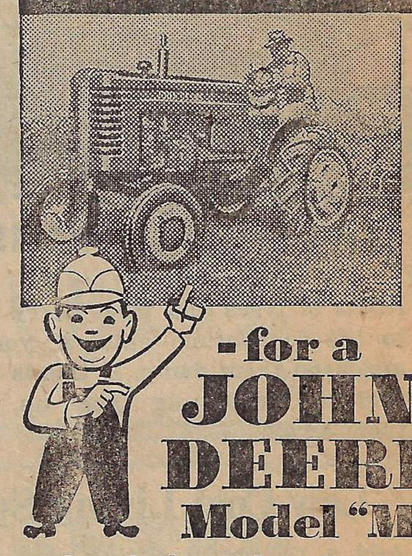
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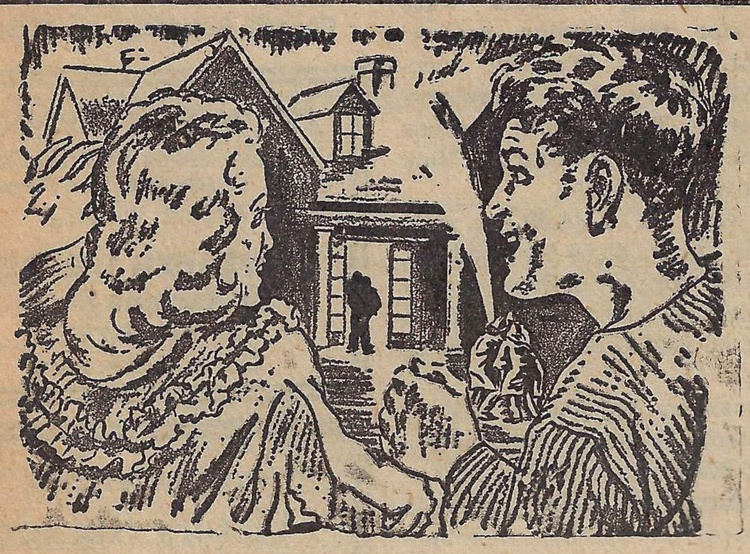
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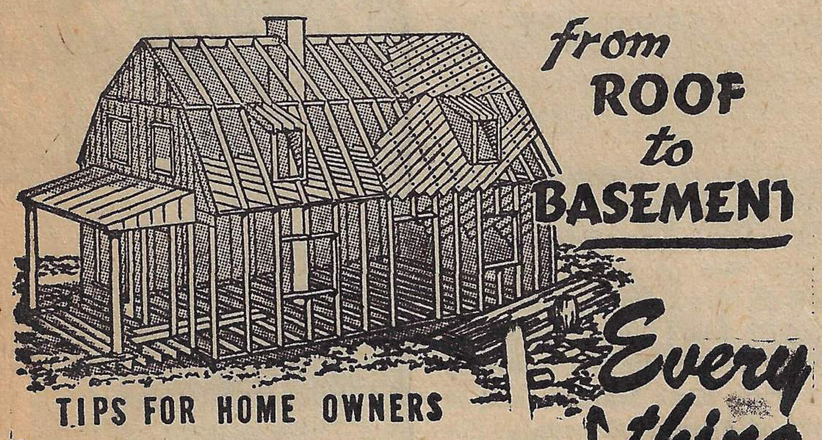
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Edmonton Speaker



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BOYLE LOCAL NEWS

BOYLE.—The C.Y.O. of Boyle sponsored a bingo on April 29 in the Community hall. They cleared approximately $44. Father Spicer was in charge.

Mrs. Stirling Johnson of Noral, formerly Agnes Larson of Boyle, is the proud mother of a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cordingley have returned to Boyle after spending the winter in Kinuso. With them they brought a baby boy, Bruce Ethelbert James, by name. He was born on Wednesday, April 27.

Mr. Nick Andruski University graduate has now taken over Donatville school as of May 2. Mrs. Bowerman, who has been teaching there until now is happy to return to her family.

Miss Jane Sambirsky has returned home for a holiday.

Mr. William Balyk, plumbing apprentice, has come to help his folks with spring work. He will return to Calgary as soon as seeding is finished.

Miss Vera Musachuk returned to Boyle by way of bus on April 29.

Seed House For Boyle

BOYLE.—The Steele and Robertson Co. Ltd. is now constructing a new alfalfa and clover seed house. It is expected that this building will be entirely completed in time for purchases this fall. Formerly the United Grain Growers had buyers go about purchasing these grass seeds.

Child Killed By Fractious Team

BOYLE.—Little Helen Sambirsky, aged nine, was badly injured when struck by a horse on May 1. She was immediately rushed to Athabasca hospital after her mother found her. Mrs. J. Sambirsky and her daughter were working in the fields at the time.

When told to go to the house Helen insisted that she take the team and without her mother's knowledge she did. It seems that one of the horses kicked her for her head was badly battered. She died in hospital at 1 a.m. May 2.

She was the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sambirsky of Monticello, seven miles north of Boyle.

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The Plamondon Page

PLAMONDON LOCAL NEWS

PLAMONDON. — Mr. Baxter of the staff of the Alberta Tuberculosis Travelling Clinic paid a business visit to Plamondon. Mr. Baxter assures us that the T.B. Clinic will be here some time the first part of June . . . Dates will be announced later so watch your local paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Urbin Plamondon spent Thursday afternoon visiting around Plamondon.

Barbara Gagnon is a patient in the Lac la Biche hospital. At the time of writing Mrs. Phil Johnson has returned from an Edmonton hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Plamondon and Philip Plamondon and Mrs. A. Plamondon and daughter all were business visitors to the city this week.

Mr. Adolphis Powder has left for the summer and has gone to Waterways to work for the H.B.C. transport.

Mr. Albert Powder has left to work in Edmonton for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bosse and son Dale visited here over the week-end.

The Joe Dragons have three of their daughters in Lac la Biche hospital this week.

Mr. Joe Draogn has sold his caterpillar and expects to go away to work for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Willingshafer of Hylo visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rochan.

Parents will you please watch the children in regards to carrying matches, etc. Just in the last two weeks two fires have been started by children in the district. These might have been serious had there not been someone on the spot who saw the fires at once and with help were able to extinguish the blazes before damage was done.

GRASSLAND LOCAL NEWS

GRASSLAND. — Stanley and Gordon, our popular Canadian Coachways drivers, wish to say that, all rumors to the contrary, they have no intention of leaving the Lac la Biche run. The presence of a student driver on one trip does not mean that there is going to be any change on this route.

Miss McKay, student nurse, arrived on Sunday's bus, to spend a short period with Miss Williams.

Mrs. Sutton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Babcock of Kinuso.

A successful dance was held at Grassland on Friday. Music was supplied by Ted's Orchestra.

A run-away team caused some consternation at Grassland on Sunday. Fortunately no one was hurt, but the wagon was badly wrecked. The team, owned by Arlie Chambers, was finally stopped by Jackie Fleming and Wesley White.

Ball practice was held at the community field on Sunday. Some of the older players are still complaining of aches and pains in different parts of their anatomy.

The new bus, from Wandering River to Athabasca, passed through Grassland on its first trip, on Monday. No stop was made, however.

The wedding of Mr. Edward Zak and Miss Regina Swinych took place on Wednesday at St. Joseph's church, Prosperity. A reception was held later at the home of the bridegroom's mother.

Grassland school ball team journeyed to Frains on Thursday to play the school at that point but returned unsuccessful. Better luck next time!

Mr. Sakulich has purchased a new Rockol tractor from the Grassland Garage.

Mr. Pete Rybicki has returned from Edson, to put in the crop on his farm north of here. Mr. Rybicki purchased a hardware store at Edson, and moved to that point last fall. He will be returning there as soon as he has finished seeding.

Mr. Don McKenzie had the misfortune to lose all his seed wheat last week-end. During his absence from the farm horses broke into the granary where the wheat was stored.

Dept. Public Works Construction Crew at Boyle

BOYLE.—Fence moving was the main occupation of several farmers on the highway west of Boyle. The Boyle-Edmonton highway via Newbrook is at least under way. There is at present four caterpillars and two shovels at work. The road will be 100 feet wide from fence to fence.

Heavy Losses As Two Elevators Burned To Ground

CZAR. — Loss of $80,000 was estimated Friday following a fire that razed two grain elevators, damaged a third and threatened to sweep through this eastern Alberta village Thursday afternoon.

Destroyed along with the grain they contained were the Alberta Wheat Pool and the National Grain elevators. The Searle Grain company structure also caught fire, as the flames were fanned by high winds, but the Provost fire department which races 35 miles to the scene doused the blaze.

The fire broke out at 2:00 p.m. in the cleaner room above the scale room in the pool elevator. Its origin is unknown. The flames destroyed 21,700 bushels of grain.

Efforts of a volunteer bucket brigade to check the flames were futile. Hoses would not reach the town water supply, and the Canadian Pacific railway water tanks were used to supply water to the firefighters. Their efforts were harassed by sparks which ignited three hoses.

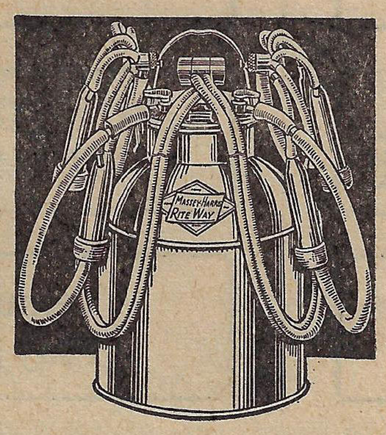
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KILLAM LOCAL NEWS

KILLAM. — Mrs. James Chevraux has her mother Mrs. Carruthers of Edmonton visiting with her.

Mr. Bill Reed who recently lost his home by fire has moved into his new home recently purchased from L. Sorenson.

Mrs. Walter Felhauer and infant daughter of Dawson Crek, B.C., spent several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Love.

Mrs. James and Mrs. Everett Chevraux were Camrose shoppers on Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Penner of Edmonton are employed at the home of Gene George.

Mrs. F. E. Homan returned to her home in Edmonton having spent the past two weeks with friends and relatives in Killam and Galahad.

Miss Margaret Brodie has accepted a position in the local Bank of Montreal, succeeding Doris Hamilton who has returned to Camrose. Margaret is making her home with Mrs. Fairweather.

Miss Audry Zwack of Daysland is employed in the local Treasury Branch.

Tommy Slimmon is recovering after a seige of measles.

Mrs. Grace Homan was an Edmonton visitor at the week-end.

Mrs. Alice Morgan arrived from Calgary to spend the summer months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Berguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Watkins of Calmar spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. N. Pettem and family.

Killam was well represented at dances in Viking and Prague last week.

Mr. George Tamlin of Edmonton was a visitor for several days with Mr. and Mrs. John Yusep.

Harold Gaume had a telephone installed in his home.

Mrs. Bill Davidson of Innisfree paid a surprise call one day last week on Mrs. Fred Sherwood Jr. Peggy and Mrs. Davidson were school pals.

Of interest to Killam and district is a baby daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ball, in High Prairie hospital, Sunday, April 24, Linda Anne. Congratulations.

Miss Betty Sherwood of Edmonton arrived home in Killam on Friday evening.

Mrs. Floyd Robinson is an Edmonton visitor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Merta, John Yusep and Elmer Bruder were visitors to Red Deer on Saturday.

Mrs. Jack Ihde returned home after two months holiday in Toronto with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Patton.

Strome's Grade 9 and under base ball team came to Killam on Friday evening for a game of ball. Killam came out on top by a score of 7-6.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert George spent the week-end with relatives in Edmonton.

Barbara McKinney had a minor operation on her foot last week and was unable to turn up for work on Thursday and Friday.

TEAM DEBUT

Martin and Lewis, the zany nightgown team, will make their screen debut in the Hal Wallis production of "My Friend Irma," currently before the camera at Paramount.

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Wilfred John "Bill" Wilde, Alberta native son, range rider, business man, political organizer and poet, is Progressive Conservative Candidate in the federal constituency of Bow River.

"Bill" Wilde, who is well known from the U.S.A. border to the far reaches of the Peace River, and from the Rockies to the Saskatchewan-Alberta boundary, and in some spheres over a much wider area, was born in Banff, Alberta, on June 22, 1893. He attended public school at Blairmore and Dunmore, and Garbutt's Business College at Medicine Hat.

"Bill" Wilde started out to make his own way at an early age. He sold newspapers and periodicals at Blairmore and Commeration badges at Frank and Blairmore during the visit of Earl Grey, Governor General of Canada, to the Crows Nest Pass in 1905. During that visit, he remembers, he held Prince Arthur of Connaugh's horse while the party visited the scene of the Frank Slide.

The young Albertan got his first real job in 1907 as a fence rider on the ranch of the late Alex Gordon on the Red Deer river near where the town of Jenner now stands. He was the ranch's representative on the roundup that summer, although just 14 years of age. The next year he was again on the ranch for the summer, drove a water wagon in Taber for two months in the autumn after the beef was shipped, and spent the winter working at Frank.

In 1909 he journeyed south to Shelby, Montana, and punched cows on the Marias River, returning to Alberta the next year as a bronc rider on the Kircaldy ranch at Raymond for the Knight Sugar Co. Ltd., riding with such well-known rangemen as the late Joe Lamaar, George Shelton, Paul Hester and Ray Knight himself. The Knight Sugar Co. at this period operated one of the largest ranches in the Dominion with 15,000 head of cattle and 4,000 horses.

Bill Wilde moved again in 1911 filing on a homestead and preemption 25 miles north of Medicine Hat. By 1916 he had proved up the homestead which he sold, moving to Bowell where he acquired considerable acreage with the idea of becoming a full fledged farmer. It took less than two years for him to lose everything—how only business failure—and with his wife and two small children he moved to Medicine Hat where he secured temporary employment with the Medicine Hat Wholesale Grocery Company.

Five months later he was promoted to salesman and in the years that followed continued in this occupation, working first in the south country and itno Saskatchewan, later being transferred to Red Deer with the Red Deer Wholesale Grocery. There he was taken off the road to manage the wholesale fruit department for this firm, and after 1½ years became manager of the business.

In 1935 Bill Wilde left Red Deer to organize the first wholesale fruit house in Canada for Safeway Limited of Canada, later being appointed supervisor of produce wholesale for the company from Victoria to Winnipeg.

He severed his connection with the firm in 1940, returning to his Red Deer farm to carry out a plan laid years before to raise thoroughbred horses and purebred cattle. In 1943 be became organizer for the Progressive Conservative party in Alberta.

Bill Wilde's first political activity was as an errand boy in the Conservative political rooms at Blairmore in 1905. He was Secretary of the Box Springs Conservative group from 1911-15 while on his homestead. He was President of the Red Deer Conservative Association from 1925-33 and Secretary of the Red Deer Federal Conservative Assn. from 1925 to 1933.

He is a past member of the Red Deer board of school trustees; Red Deer Rotary Club; Calgary Rotary Club; Board of Managers of the First Presbyterian Church, Red Deer, and the National Fruit Jobers Association. He is also a Past Master of Kenilworth Lodge No. 9, A.F. and A.M., Red Deer.

He is a member and executive of the Southern Alberta Pioneers and Old-Timers Association, and chairman of its historical data committee. Also a member of the Western Stock Growers Association, and the Canadian Hereford Breeders Association.

Bill Wilde played right wing on Blaimore's first junior hockey team. He raced horses throughout the southern section of Alberta and raised a number of thoroughbreds on his Red Deer farm including the well-known Willie Marcus and Faster Marcus.

His hobbies are the raising of Asiatic pheasants, peacocks and Bourjois dogs, and writing poetry.

He was married to Lucile Hodges at Medicine Hat, June 1914, and has one son and one daughter.

LADIES ONLY!

Girls like boys, but that is only natural. And don't say I told you, but they also like boys just a little better if they have a little touch of what we laughingly call manners. They don't have to make out like a superduper Emily Post, but there are some things that should be done and done as the accepted thing to do, all the time, not once in a while.

The little everyday things, such as pulling out chairs, helping a gal on with her coat, and doing it in a natural way and not as an impromptu wrestling match. Things such as remembering to stand when another member of the female species enters the room—even someone you haven't got much use for. He must remember when out on a date that he is in charge of things and have everything lined up, that is in the way of tickets, transportation, etc.

One thing that makes me wonder is seen every day on our local transportation system. Time after time you see a fellow and his one and only preparing to leave and he will step aside and let her descend first. In all cases, when using buses or street cars, the boy gets on last so that he can look after fares and transfers without delaying the girl friend. When leaving the car, he gets down first so that he can offer assistance to the girl when she descends.

In entering a theatre or dining room, if there is an usher or guide of any description, the girl follows and the boy brings up the rear. If there is no one, then the boy leads the way and chooses a suitable seat, first making sure it is satisfactory in every way.

These things must not be done as though he is showing off, but must be done naturally, casually, as the accepted thing to do. Most boys would be surprised if they knew how much these little things are appreciated.

Married life is not a bad life to lead, only you get to do very little leading. So quotes one of our very much married readers.

And remember girls, a woman's strongest asset is man's imagination.

Do you know that there are more than 5,000 stations on the Canadian National Railways system?

STROME LOCAL NEWS

STROME—Miss Harriet Curtis was a visitor in the city last week.

Mr. Sam Morrow who has been in the Killam hospital for several weeks, returned home Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Inar Johnson and little daughter of Bashaw visited his parents, Axel Johnsons Monday and Tuesday.

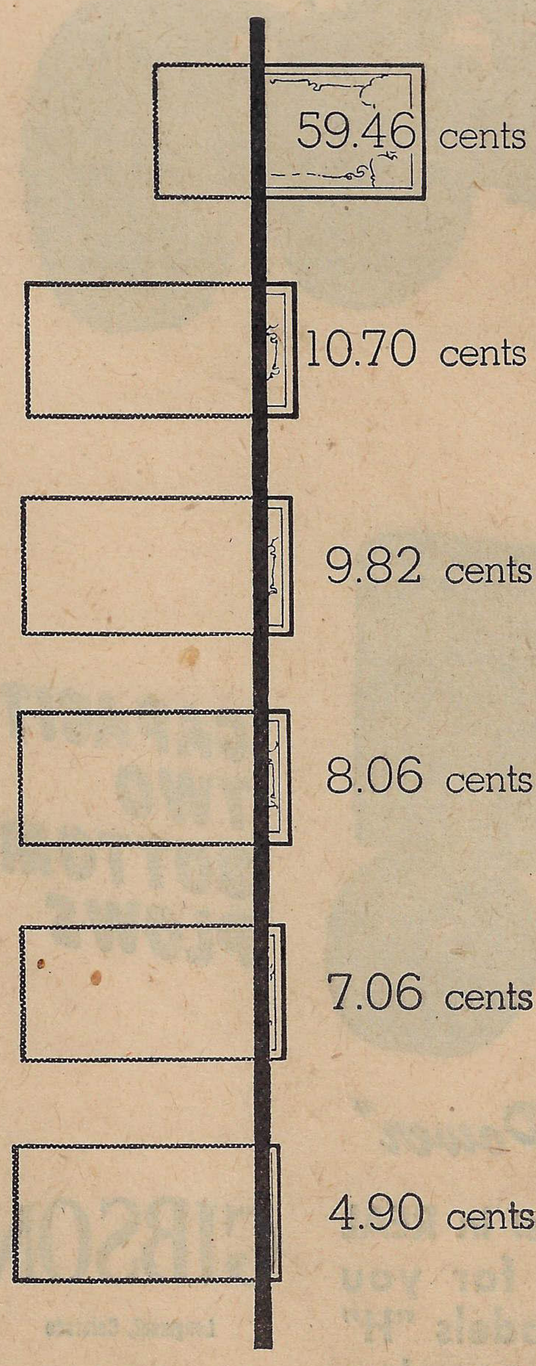
Clarence Zimmels have moved on his farm joining town. Pete Curtis has bought his house and is moving in shortly.

Do you know there are sixty-four tunnels on Canadian National Railways lines? The longest, which is three miles long, is under Mount Royal and part of the city of Montreal.



Just before payday you've probably looked at what's left of your wages or housekeeping money and said: "Where does the money go?" A company must ask itself the same question, and each year provides the answer in its annual report.

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Crew to Redwater

LACLA BICHE.—The Stanolind Oil Co. crew that drilled the relief well to the "wild well east of town has pulled up and moved to Redwater. The wild well site has been abandoned, at least until next winter when ground is frozen and equipment can be moved more easily.

Due to movement of heavy oil machinery district roads have been put into bad shape.

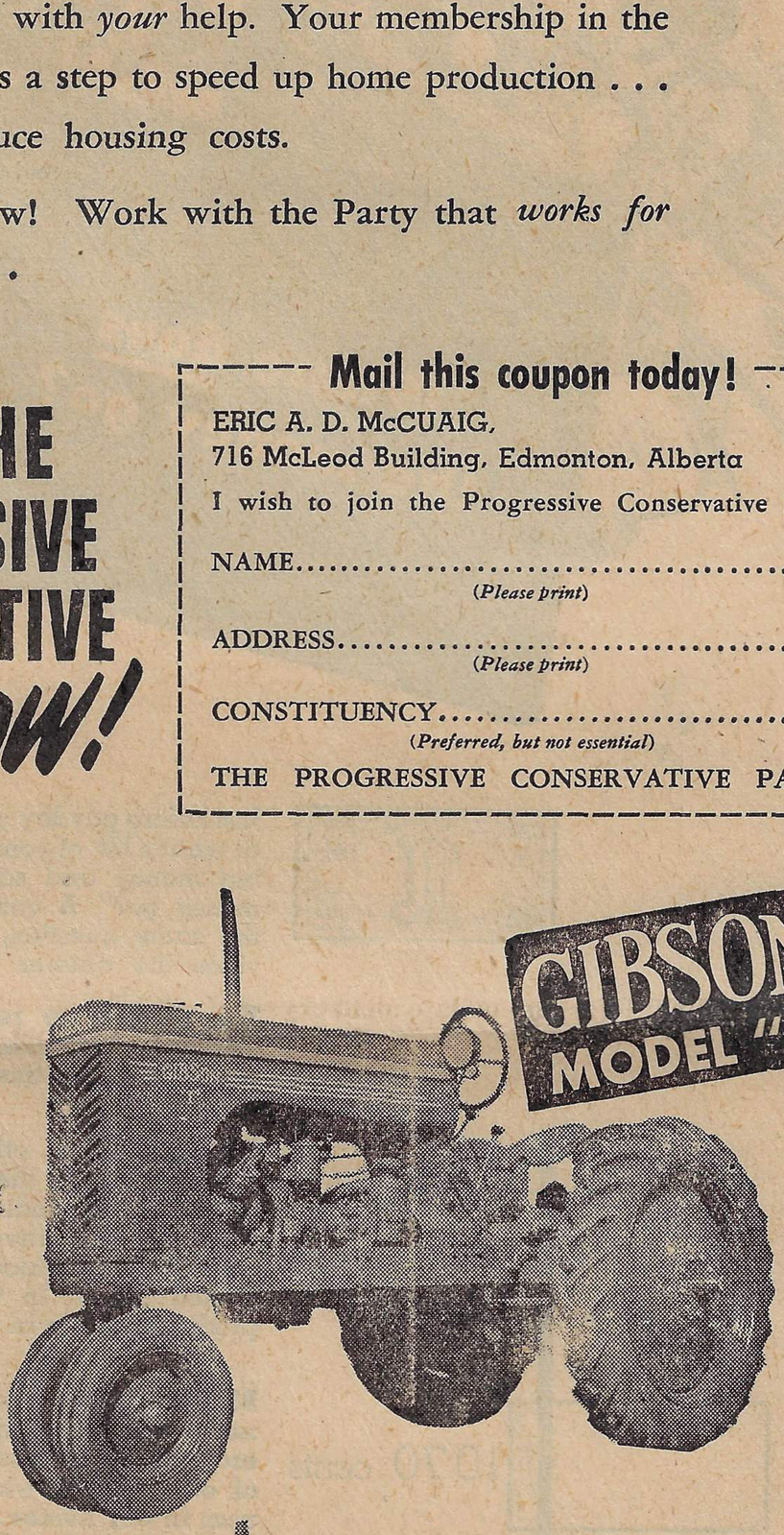
New Survey Work

LAC LA BICHE.—Work is going ahead east of here to survey possibilities of drilling for new oil finds. Representatives of the Bear Exporation Co., from Ontario, have come to town to initiate new surveys.

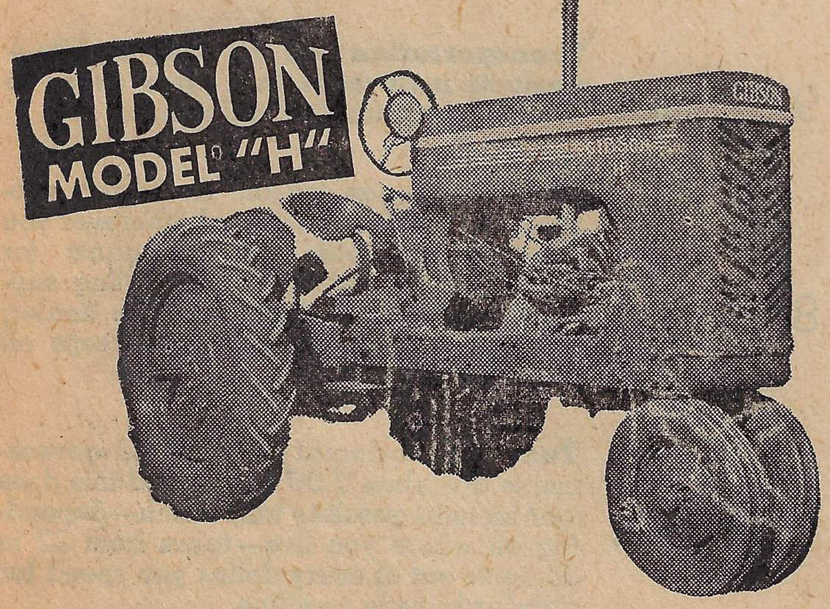
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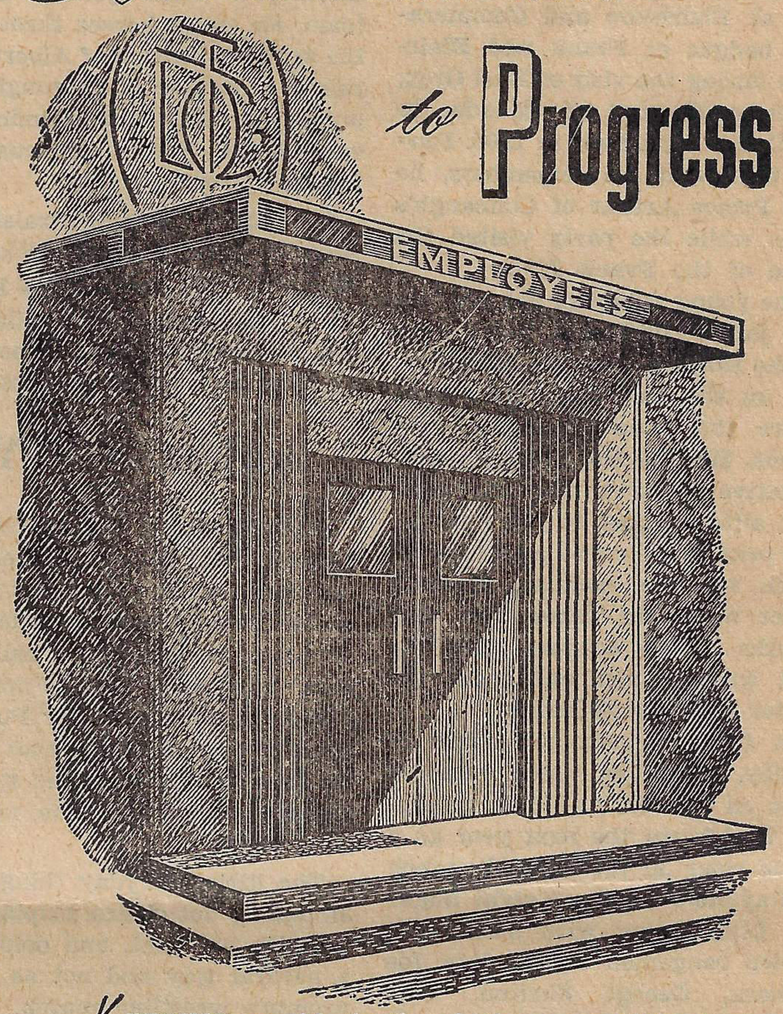
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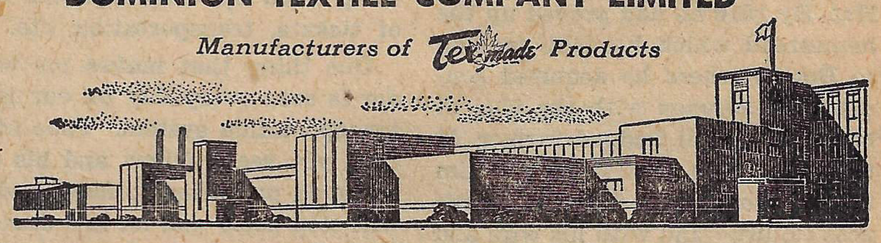


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Councillors W. W. Stafford and F. Collins were appointed a committee to be in charge of streets and sidewalks, and Mayor W. A. Hurt was appointed as parks and cemetery committe. H. May was appointed assessor, with the approval of the minister of municipal affairs, and was instructed to add to the assessment roll all additions and improvements made to property since the last assessment.

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Correction

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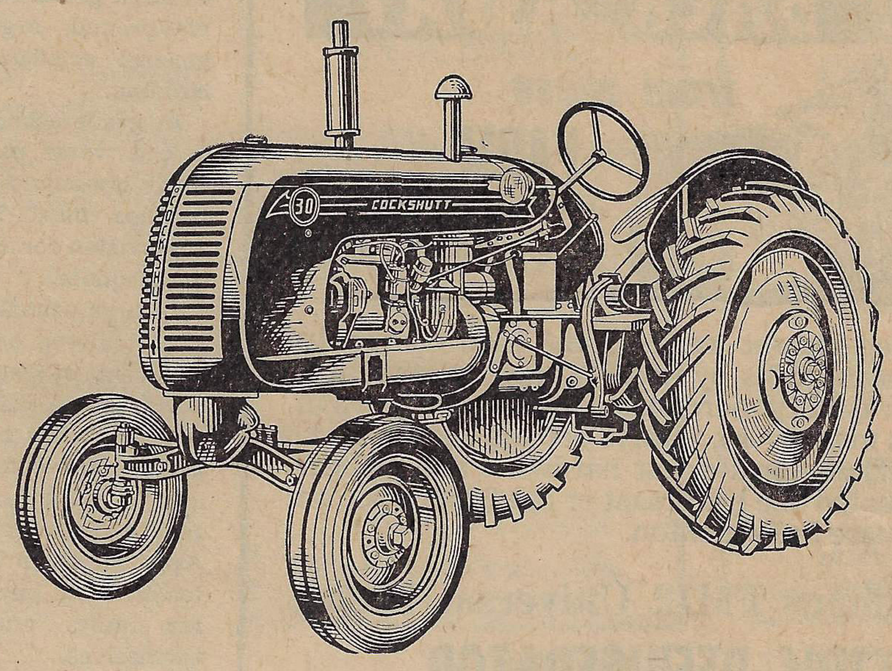
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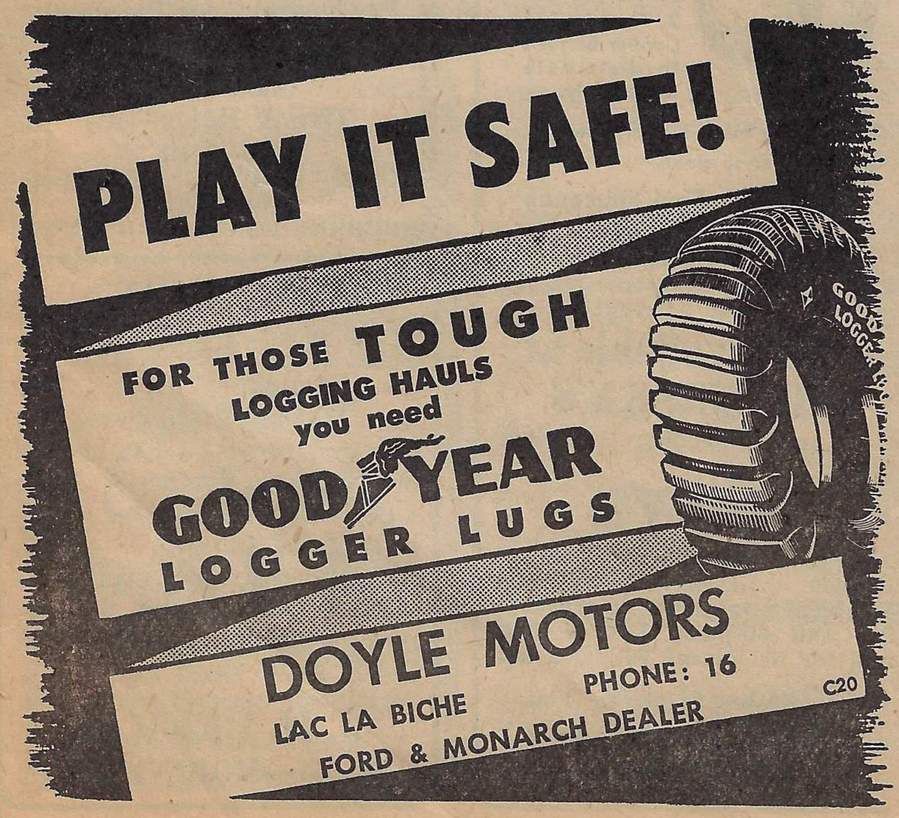
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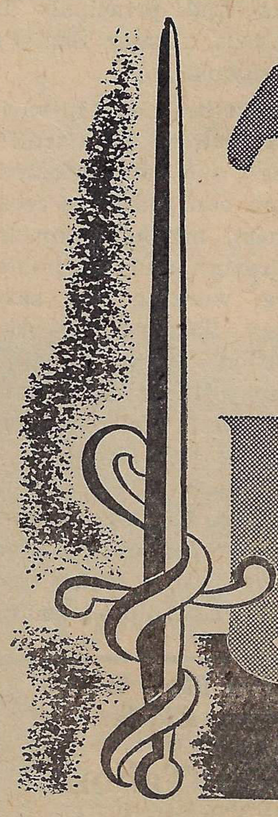
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THIS WEEK IN BRITAIN

NEW MACHINE MAKES CARPENTRY SAFE FOR BLIND

A new United Kingdom-made machine has just been installed at St. Dunstan's Training Centre for the Blind, which helps sightless people to saw and plane wood mechanically without risk to themselves.

In the workshops at St. Dunstan's, war-blinded men and women are trained for jobs. Recently 166 veterans have learned enough to take up work as capstan lathe operators in factories. Others have been trained for employment which require a certain amount of skill even in people with normal sight.

The St. Dunstan's authorities say that the number of people blinded in World War II is just beginning to fall off. They expect, though, that their work will go on for many years yet. A hundred men, now being trained, entered the centre only in the last three months because of symptoms of failing sight.

St. Dunstan's has dealt with 1,500 blind people since the end of the war. This is almost the same as the number helped after World War I—but between the wars this total was doubled because of the delayed effects of wounds and gas.

PREVENTING ACCIDENTS IN SCHOOLS—

Britain's Ministry of Education has just issued a booklet on Safety Precautions in Schools.

"To live dangerously," says the foreword, "may well be a better rule of life than safety first. The kind of youngster we hope to turn out should be confident, curious and uninhibited. But carelessnes is not to be excused and unnecessary risks must not be taken."

84 per cent of the accidents in high schools and 90 per cent of those in grade schools occur in the playground, organized games or general accidents in the school building.

In grade schools the playground is the worst place for accidents. Size, lay-out, fencing and maintenance must be examined and supervision for the children should be adequate.

In high schools, games and physical training account for over 47 per cent of the total number of accidents. A difficult problem, for some risk has to be accepted, but precautions can be taken, especially in the gymnasium, which will reduce the risk of serious injury. Apparatus can be checked by the teacher and pupils trained to look for faults, and put them right themselves.

Boxing and wrestling bouts should be short, opponents evenly matched and kit suitable. The teacher should not include any exercise unless he knows a good way of standing by for it.

Curiously, domestic economy does not account for many accidents in Britain's schools. Teachers give great care to the question of safety and see that furniture and equipment are well laid out, that open fires and grates have safety bars, that gas taps are set back under the rim of the cooker and that furniture and utensils are the right size for the children.

This sensible little booklet suggests many good ways of preventing accidents in schools, but does its best to emphasize that children must not be made afraid of life—instead they should welcome adventure and the unknown, while adults in the background protect them from their dangers.

TRAINING FOR OPERA

At the De Walden Institute, St. John's Wood, London, men and women from all parts of the world are trained as opera stars.

Subjects include movement, deportment, acting and stage technique, musical ensemble and operatic roles. Students who pay fees of $340 a year, are only selected after an audition. One of the founders and principals is Miss Joan Cross, former Sadler's Wells prima donna.

Auditions have been held in various cities in Britain. In Cardiff, 50 were heard and four selected, none of whom can raise the fees. Three of them, mining engineer, a railway fireman and a window cleaner, are working to save enough money. The studio works in co-operation with Britain's opera companies, including Covent Garden and Sadler's Wells, and has a grant from the Arts Council.

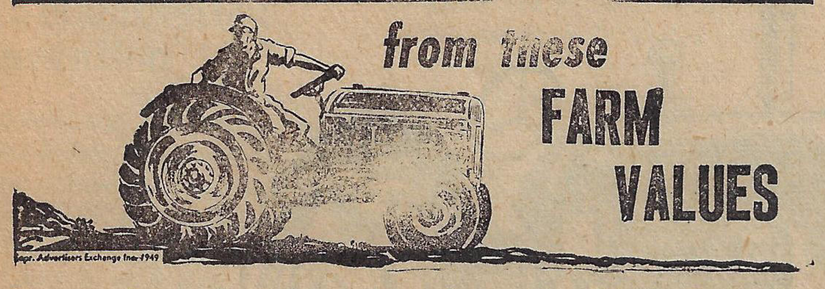
Instructors include Mr. Peter Gellhorn, Covent Garden instructor, Mr. Geoffrey Dunn, singer, actor and producer, Joan Cross herself and Mr. Kurt Joose, founder of the Joose Ballet. The school is a non-profit-making company with a permanent board of governors. Fourteen of the students are from Britain, others come from Canada, South Africa, New Zealand, Australia, the U.S.A., Switzerland and Iceland.

Apart from a 15-hour week at the studio, they have singing lessons from their own teachers and preparatory work which takes up all their spare time. The way to the stars is certainly a hard one!

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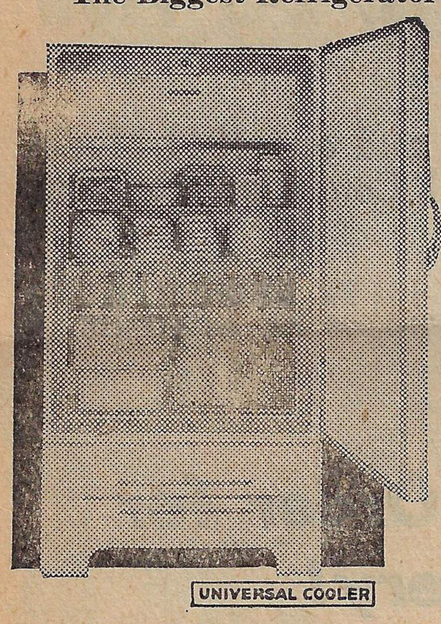


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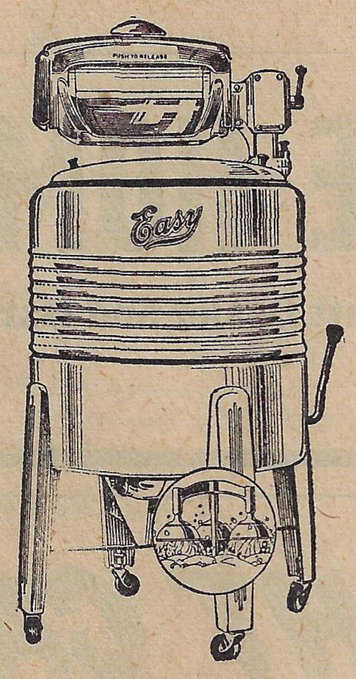
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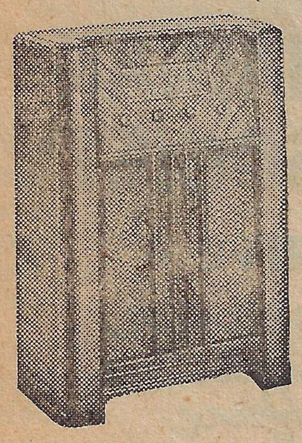
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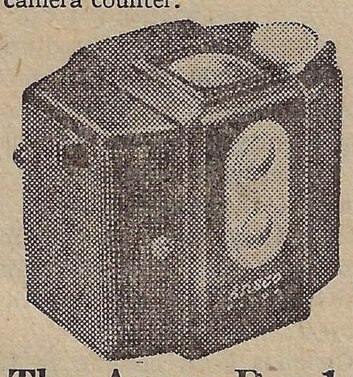
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Pensions May Be Increased

Reports persist from Ottawa regarding plans to increase the old-age pensions of Canadians by as much as $10 a month. One report says the dominion government has decided definitely to increase basic old-age pensions from $30 to $40.

It has also been decided that pensions payable to a woman will be made payable at the age of 65, but the age for men is to remain at 70.

The federal government pays 75 per cent of the cost of basic old-age pensions and the provinces pay only 25 per cent. Some provinces pay a supplementary pension over and above the basic pension.

It is also announced the federal government plans to put the increase in pensions into effect by June 1.

U.S. Flaxseed Price

The flaxseed price support for the 1949 United States crop is announced at 90 per cent of parity—a drastic reduction from the $6 a bushel or 135 per cent of parity support level in effect this marketin gyear. At 90 per cent of parity the support price will be about $3.72 a bushel at farm level on a national average.

B.C. Will Vote On June 15th

Electors will go to the polls in a provincial general election in British Columbia on June 15, it was announced during the week.

Premier Byron Johnson has made it plan that free enterprise versus Socialism will be the No. 1 issue in British Columbia's June 15 provincial election.

The 58-year-old head of B.C.'s seven-year-old coalition government of Liberals and Progressive-Conservatives made his election call Saturday. He promptly added to the announcement:

"If British Columbia is to continue to prosper we feel that such can only be accomplished where the people are assured of a continuance of the principles of free enterprise."

Finance Minister Herbert Anscomb, chief of the provincial Progressive-Conservatives, subscribed to Mr. Johnson's declaration.

In a joint statement, the party leaders said: "It is felt that there should be a clarification of the future administration in this province."

Fear of the C.C.F. and its Socialitsic program led to the birth of the coalition in 1941, under the leadership of former Premier John Hart.

Harold Winch, leader of the C.C.F., has accepted the challenge.

"The C.C.F. is all set for a winning election campaign," he said at the annual party convention in Vancouver. "We have our election machinery all in order. There's no question but that the swing is to the C.C.F."

Mr. Johnson announced dissolution of the 21st legislature of B.C., fixed the election date, and said nomination day would be May 25.

At dissolution the coalition had 36 members in the 48-member house — 21 Liberals and 15 Progressive-Conservatives. The C.C.F. had 11 members and Labor one. The last election was held Oct. 25, 1945.

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After a short intermission the Operetta "Hansel and Gretel" was very nicely rendered by the members of the United Cuhrch Junior Choir, under the direction of Mrs. Wilda Charney. The Junior Choir added further to the program with some very nice songs. At the conclusion of the entertainment, Rev. C. W. Anderson thanked those present for their attendance and support, after which, bouquets of spring flowers were presented to Miss Lamb and Mrs. Charney by Sheila Casey and Donna Vetter.

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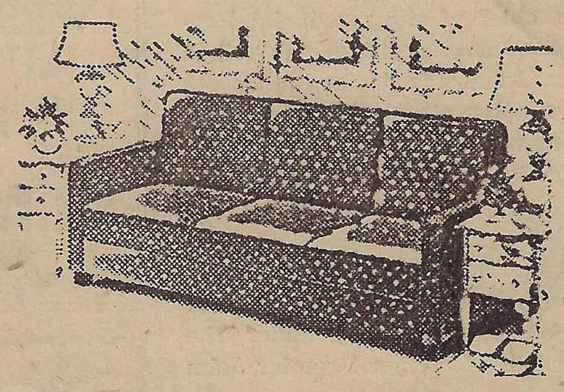
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Cheques keep coming in to the fund and any member of the committee will be glad to receive yours at any time or it may be left at the Village office. It is expected that work will commence shortly, and material is being bought as it is obtainable, so that the project will be able to go right ahead when once started. As a goodly portion of the labor is expected to be volunteered, not much can be done until the crops are seeded, but once it is started it is expected to make good headway in short order.

Inconvenienced By License Shortage

CROSSFIELD. — Considerable inconvenience has been caused to a section of the motoring public here for the past week owing to the license issuer failing to receive a further supply of licenses. Actually they had no one to blame but themselves for leaving the getting of them until after the dead-line, but considering the amount of fees paid better service should be warranted. Even with a long week-end holiday last week it should not take another week for the department to catch up on their orders.

Another source of discontent is the fact that truck licenses are not issued in Crossfield. With perhaps one-half of the farmers owning both car and truck, they wonder why they can buy their car license here and have to go elsewhere for one for the truck. The Highway Traffic Board annually state that they do not intend to appoint an issuer in Crossfield, but never state the reason. Seems as though the voters should have a little to say about it and perhaps our M.L.A. could do something about it.

CROSSFIELD LOCAL NEWS

CROSSFIELD.—Harry Fitzpatrick is home again after undergoing an operation in a Calgary hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Percival Hartford of Wisconsin are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Calhoun. Mr. Hartford is a nephey of Mr. Calhoun.

Miss Kay Kotow is home again after being in Calgary to have her tonsils demoved.

Mrs. Jerry McGill made the trip to Edmonton on Wednesday to bring back daughter Beverley, who had spent part of the holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Dick.

The school children were back at school on Monday after the Easter recess. They can now settle down and get ready for the June exams.

Charlie Reid and children left by truck on Friday for Regina where they had been called owing to the death of Mrs. Reid's mother. Mrs. Reid had left at the first of the week when the news came that her mother was seriously ill.

A new edition of the telephone directory is now available and subscribers may obtain a copy by calling at the office.

Stanley Reid is building a warehouse for W. A. Hurt at the rear of the machine shop.

Mrs. A. Pogue of Calgary was in town on Sunday last on the way to visit her daughter Mrs. Eric Van Maarion who is a patient in the University hospital at Edmonton. Velma had a very serious operation on her lungs and was in a bad way for a few days, but is now convalescing and should be able to come home in a few days time.

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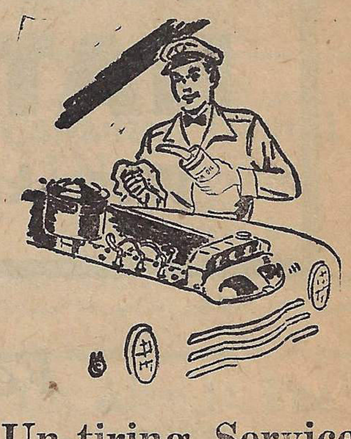
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